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Ms. Magalie R. Salas
Secretary, Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 12th Street, S.W. TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Ultra-Wideband Transmission Rules
ET Docket No. 98-153

Dear Ms. Salas:

Enclosed herewith are the original and four copies of the Initial Comments of the U.S. Department of Transportation in the above-referenced proceeding. I have also enclosed an additional five copies of this pleading for distribution to the individual Commissioners.

Please date-stamp and return to the messenger the extra copy of the reply comments. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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